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## AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF SEXUAL OFFENDERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Section 54-250 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- 3 For the purposes of sections 54-102g and 54-250 to 54-258a,
- 4 inclusive, and sections 6, 7 and 12 of this act:
- 5 (1) "Conviction" means a judgment entered by a court upon a plea of
- 6 guilty, a plea of nolo contendere or a finding of guilty by a jury or the
- 7 court notwithstanding any pending appeal or habeas corpus
- 8 proceeding arising from such judgment.
- 9 (2) "Criminal offense against a victim who is a minor" means (A) a
- 10 violation of subdivision (2) of section 53-21 of the general statutes in
- 11 effect prior to October 1, 2000, subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of
- section 53-21, subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 53a-70,
- subdivision (1), (4), [or] (8) or (10) or subparagraph (B) of subdivision

- 14 (9) of subsection (a) of section 53a-71, subdivision (2) of subsection (a) 15 of section 53a-72a, subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 53a-86, 16 subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 53a-87, section 53a-90a, 53a-17 196, 53a-196a, 53a-196b, 53a-196c, 53a-196d, 53a-196e or 53a-196f, (B) a 18 violation of subparagraph (A) of subdivision (9) of subsection (a) of 19 section 53a-71 or section 53a-92, 53a-92a, 53a-94, 53a-94a, 53a-95, 53a-96 20 or 53a-186, provided the court makes a finding that, at the time of the 21 offense, the victim was under eighteen years of age, (C) a violation of 22 any of the offenses specified in subparagraph (A) or (B) of this 23 subdivision for which a person is criminally liable under section 53a-8, 24 53a-48 or 53a-49, or (D) a violation of any predecessor statute to any 25 offense specified in subparagraph (A), (B) or (C) of this subdivision the 26 essential elements of which are substantially the same as said offense.
  - (3) "Identifying factors" means fingerprints, a photographic image, and a description of any other identifying characteristics as may be required by the Commissioner of Public Safety. The commissioner shall also require a sample of the registrant's blood or other biological sample be taken for DNA (deoxyribonucleic acid) analysis, unless such sample has been previously obtained in accordance with section 54-102g.
  - (4) "Mental abnormality" means a congenital or acquired condition of a person that affects the emotional or volitional capacity of the person in a manner that predisposes that person to the commission of criminal sexual acts to a degree that makes the person a menace to the health and safety of other persons.
- 39 (5) "Nonviolent sexual offense" means a violation of section 53a-73a 40 or a violation of section 53a-73a for which a person is criminally liable under section 53a-8, 53a-48 or 53a-49. 41
  - (6) "Not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect" means a finding by a court or jury of not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect pursuant to section 53a-13 notwithstanding any pending appeal or habeas corpus proceeding arising from such finding.

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- (7) "Personality disorder" means a condition as defined in the most
   recent edition of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental
   Disorders, published by the American Psychiatric Association.
- 49 (8) "Registrant" means a person required to register under section 50 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254, as amended by this act, or section 6 or 7 of this act.
  - (9) "Registry" means a central record system in this state, any other state or the federal government that receives, maintains and disseminates information on persons convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of criminal offenses against victims who are minors, nonviolent sexual offenses, sexually violent offenses, [and] felonies found by the sentencing court to have been committed for a sexual purpose, predatory sexual offenses against victims who are minors and predatory sexual offenses against protected or other persons.
  - (10) "Release into the community" means, with respect to a conviction or a finding of not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor, a nonviolent sexual offense, a sexually violent offense or a felony found by the sentencing court to have been committed for a sexual purpose, (A) any release by a court after such conviction or finding of not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect, a sentence of probation or any other sentence under section 53a-28 that does not result in the offender's immediate placement in the custody of the Commissioner of Correction; (B) release from a correctional facility at the discretion of the Board of Pardons and Paroles, by the Department of Correction to a program authorized by section 18-100c or upon completion of the maximum term or terms of the offender's sentence or sentences, or to the supervision of the Court Support Services Division in accordance with the terms of the offender's sentence; or (C) release from a hospital for mental illness or a facility for persons with mental retardation by the Psychiatric Security Review Board on conditional release pursuant

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to section 17a-588 or upon termination of commitment to the Psychiatric Security Review Board.

- (11) "Sexually violent offense" means (A) a violation of section 53a-70, except subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of said section, 53a-70a, 53a-70b, 53a-71, except subdivision (1), (4), [or] (8) or (10) or subparagraph (B) of subdivision (9) of subsection (a) of said section or subparagraph (A) of subdivision (9) of subsection (a) of said section if the court makes a finding that, at the time of the offense, the victim was under eighteen years of age, 53a-72a, except subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of said section, or 53a-72b, or of section 53a-92 or 53a-92a, provided the court makes a finding that the offense was committed with intent to sexually violate or abuse the victim, (B) a violation of any of the offenses specified in subparagraph (A) of this subdivision for which a person is criminally liable under section 53a-8, 53a-48 or 53a-49, or (C) a violation of any predecessor statute to any of the offenses specified in subparagraph (A) or (B) of this subdivision the essential elements of which are substantially the same as said offense.
- (12) "Sexual purpose" means that a purpose of the defendant in committing the felony was to engage in sexual contact or sexual intercourse with another person without that person's consent. A sexual purpose need not be the sole purpose of the commission of the felony. The sexual purpose may arise at any time in the course of the commission of the felony.
- (13) "Employed" or "carries on a vocation" means employment that is full-time or part-time for more than fourteen days, or for a total period of time of more than thirty days during any calendar year, whether financially compensated, volunteered or for the purpose of government or educational benefit.
- 107 (14) "Student" means a person who is enrolled on a full-time or part-108 time basis, in any public or private educational institution, including 109 any elementary, middle or high school, regional vocational-technical

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- school, charter school, secondary school, trade or professional institution or institution of higher learning.
- 112 (15) "Predatory sexual offense against a victim who is a minor"
- means a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor, a nonviolent
- 114 sexual offense, a sexually violent offense or a felony that the court
- finds was committed for a sexual purpose, as provided in section 54-
- 116 254, as amended by this act, where (A) the victim of the offense was
- thirteen years of age or younger at the time of the offense, or (B) the
- victim was fourteen or fifteen years of age at the time of the offense
- and the court has made a finding that the offense or offenses were
- 120 <u>committed in a predatory manner.</u>
- 121 (16) "Predatory sexual offense against a protected or other person"
- means a nonviolent sexual offense, a sexually violent offense or a
- 123 felony that the court finds was committed for a sexual purpose, as
- 124 provided in section 54-254, as amended by this act, where (A) at the
- time of the offense, the victim was sixty years of age or older, blind or
- physically disabled, as defined in section 1-1f, or pregnant or was a
- 127 person with mental retardation, as defined in section 1-1g, and the
- actor was not a person with mental retardation, or (B) the court has
- 129 <u>made a finding that the offense or offenses were committed in a</u>
- 130 <u>predatory manner.</u>
- 131 (17) "Transient" means a person who has no residence.
- 132 (18) "Residence" means a place where a person is living or staying
- on a regular or temporary basis, such as a shelter or structure that can
- be located by a street address, including, but not limited to, a house,
- 135 <u>apartment building, motel, hotel, homeless shelter, recreational or</u>
- other vehicle and vessel.
- Sec. 2. Section 54-251 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- 139 (a) Any person who has been convicted or found not guilty by

140 reason of mental disease or defect of a criminal offense against a victim 141 who is a minor or a nonviolent sexual offense, and is released into the 142 community on or after October 1, 1998, shall, within three days 143 following such release or, if such person is in the custody of the 144 Commissioner of Correction, at such time prior to release as the commissioner shall direct, and whether or not such person's place of 145 146 residence is in this state, register such person's name, identifying 147 factors, criminal history record and residence address with the 148 Commissioner of Public Safety, on such forms and in such locations as 149 the commissioner shall direct, and shall maintain such registration for 150 ten years, except that any person who has one or more prior 151 convictions of any such offense, who is so ordered by the court or who 152 is convicted of a violation of subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 153 53a-70, or subdivision (1), (4), (8), (9) or (10) of subsection (a) of section 154 53a-71, or section 53a-90a, 53a-196, 53a-196a or 53a-196b shall maintain 155 such registration for life. Prior to accepting a plea of guilty or nolo 156 contendere from a person with respect to a criminal offense against a 157 victim who is a minor or a nonviolent sexual offense, the court shall (1) 158 inform the person that the entry of a finding of guilty after acceptance 159 of the plea will subject the person to the registration requirements of 160 this section, and (2) determine that the person fully understands the 161 consequences of the plea. If such person changes such person's name, such person shall, within five days, register the new name, in writing, 162 163 with the Commissioner of Public Safety. If such person changes such 164 person's address such person shall, within five days, register the new 165 address in writing with the Commissioner of Public Safety, and, if the 166 new address is in another state, such person shall also register with an 167 appropriate agency in that state. [, provided that state has a 168 registration requirement for such offenders.] If any person who is 169 subject to registration under this section is employed in another state, 170 carries on a vocation in another state or is a student in another state, 171 such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety of such 172 status and shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. 173 [provided that state has a registration requirement for such offenders.]

During such period of registration, each registrant shall complete and return forms mailed to such registrant to verify such registrant's residence address and shall submit to the retaking of a photographic image upon request of the Commissioner of Public Safety. If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed at, carries on a vocation at or is a student at a youth camp, as defined in section 19a-420, a provider of child day care services, as defined in section 19a-77, a public or private educational institution including an elementary, middle or high school, a regional vocational-technical school, a charter school or a secondary school, a trade or professional institution or an institution of higher learning in this state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety of such status and of any change in such status.

- (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, the court may exempt any person who has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a violation of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of section 53a-71 from the registration requirements of this section if the court finds that such person was under nineteen years of age at the time of the offense and that registration is not required for public safety. If the court orders such an exemption, it shall forward a copy of such order to the Commissioner of Public Safety.
- (c) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, the court may exempt any person who has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a violation of subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 53a-73a from the registration requirements of this section if the court finds that registration is not required for public safety. If the court orders such an exemption, it shall forward a copy of such order to the Commissioner of Public Safety.
- 204 (d) Any person who files an application with the court to be 205 exempted from the registration requirements of this section pursuant

- 206 to subsection (b) or (c) of this section shall, pursuant to subsection (b) 207 of section 54-227, as amended, notify the Office of Victim Services and 208 the Victim Services Unit within the Department of Correction of the 209 filing of such application. The Office of Victim Services or the Victim 210 Services Unit within the Department of Correction, or both, shall, 211 pursuant to section 54-230, as amended, or 54-230a, as amended, notify 212 any victim who has requested notification of the filing of such 213 application. Prior to granting or denying such application, the court 214 shall consider any information or statement provided by the victim.
- 215 (e) Any person who is convicted of a violation of any provision of 216 subsection (a) of this section and has previously been convicted of a 217 violation of said subsection shall maintain the registration required 218 under this section for life.
- 219 [(e)] (f) Any person who violates the provisions of subsection (a) of 220 this section shall be guilty of a class D felony.
- 221 Sec. 3. Section 54-252 of the general statutes is repealed and the 222 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- 223 (a) Any person who has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a sexually violent offense, and (1) is released into the community on or after October 1, 1988, and prior to October 1, 1998, and resides in this state, shall, on October 1, 1998, or 227 within three days of residing in this state, whichever is later, or (2) is 228 released into the community on or after October 1, 1998, shall, within 229 three days following such release or, if such person is in the custody of 230 the Commissioner of Correction, at such time prior to release as the commissioner shall direct, register such person's name, identifying 232 factors, criminal history record, documentation of any treatment 233 received for mental abnormality or personality disorder, and residence 234 address with the Commissioner of Public Safety on such forms and in 235 such locations as said commissioner shall direct, and shall maintain 236 such registration for life. Prior to accepting a plea of guilty or nolo 237 contendere from a person with respect to a sexually violent offense, the

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court shall (A) inform the person that the entry of a finding of guilty after acceptance of the plea will subject the person to the registration requirements of this section, and (B) determine that the person fully understands the consequences of the plea. If such person changes such person's name, such person shall, within five days, register the new name, in writing, with the Commissioner of Public Safety. If such person changes such person's address such person shall, within five days, register the new address in writing with the Commissioner of Public Safety, and, if the new address is in another state, such person shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. [, provided that state has a registration requirement for such offenders.] If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed in another state, carries on a vocation in another state or is a student in another state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety of such status and shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. [, provided that state has a registration requirement for such offenders.] During such period of registration, each registrant shall complete and return forms mailed to such registrant to verify such registrant's residence address and shall submit to the retaking of a photographic image upon request of the Commissioner of Public Safety. If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed at, carries on a vocation at or is a student at a youth camp, as defined in section 19a-420, a provider of child day care services, as defined in section 19a-77, a public or private educational institution including an elementary, middle or high school, a regional vocational technical school, a charter school or a secondary school, a trade or professional institution or an institution of higher learning in this state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety of such status and of any change in such status.

(b) Any person who has been subject to the registration requirements of section 54-102r of the general statutes, revised to January 1, 1997, as amended by section 1 of public act 97-183, shall, not later than three working days after October 1, 1998, register under this section and thereafter comply with the provisions of sections 54-102g

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- and 54-250 to 54-258a, inclusive, as amended by this act, except that
  any person who was convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental
  disease or defect of an offense that is classified as a criminal offense
  against a victim who is a minor under subdivision (2) of section 54-250,
  as amended by this act, and that is subject to a ten-year period of
  registration under section 54-251, as amended by this act, shall
  maintain such registration for ten years.
  - [(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and (b) of this section, during the initial registration period following October 1, 1998, the Commissioner of Public Safety may phase in completion of the registration procedure for persons released into the community prior to said date over the first three months following said date, and no such person shall be prosecuted for failure to register under this section during those three months provided such person complies with the directives of said commissioner regarding registration procedures.]
- [(d)] (c) Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a class D felony.
- Sec. 4. Section 54-253 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
  - (a) Any person who has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect in any other state, in a federal or military court or in any foreign jurisdiction of any crime [, the essential elements of which are substantially the same as any of the crimes specified in subdivisions (2), (5) and (11) of section 54-250] that requires registration as a sexual offender in that other state, federal or military system or foreign jurisdiction and who [resides] will reside in this state on [and after October 1, 1998,] or after the effective date of this section, shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, not less than forty-eight hours prior to entering this state of such person's name and date of birth, the state, federal or military court or foreign jurisdiction in which such conviction or finding of not guilty by

reason of mental disease or defect occurred and the location where such person will reside in this state. Such person shall, within ten days of residing in this state, register with the Commissioner of Public Safety in the same manner as if such person had been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of such crime in this state, except that [for purposes of determining the ten-year period of registration under section 54-251 such person shall be deemed to have initially registered on the date of such person's release into the community] the commissioner shall maintain such registration until such person is released from the registration requirements in such other state, federal or military system or foreign jurisdiction.

(b) Any person not a resident of this state who is registered as a sexual offender under the laws of any other state and who is employed in this state, carries on a vocation in this state or is a student in this state, shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, not less than forty-eight hours prior to entering this state of such person's name and date of birth, the state where such person is registered and the location in this state of such employment, vocation or education and shall, within five days after the commencement of such employment, vocation or education in this state, register such person's name, identifying factors [,] and criminal history record, locations [visited] such person visits on a recurring basis or such person's residence address, if any, in this state, and such person's residence address in such person's home state with the Commissioner of Public Safety on such forms and in such locations as said commissioner shall direct and shall maintain such registration until such employment, vocation or education terminates or until such person is released from registration as a sexual offender in such other state. If such person terminates such person's employment, vocation or education in this state or changes such person's address in this state such person shall, within five days, provide notice in writing to the Commissioner of Public Safety.

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(c) If any person who is subject to subsection (a) or (b) of this section changes such person's name, such person shall, within five days, register the new name, in writing, with the Commissioner of Public Safety. If any person who is subject to subsection (a) or (b) of this section changes such person's address, such person shall, within five days, register the new address, in writing, with the Commissioner of Public Safety and, if the new address is in another state, such person shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed in another state, carries on a vocation in another state or is a student in another state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety of such status and shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. During such period of registration, each registrant shall complete and return forms mailed to such registrant to verify such registrant's residence address and shall submit to the retaking of a photographic image upon request of the Commissioner of Public Safety. If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed at, carries on a vocation at or is a student at a youth camp, as defined in section 19a-420, a provider of child day care services, as defined in section 19a-77, a public or private educational institution including, but not limited to, an elementary, middle or high school, a regional vocational technical school, a charter school or a secondary school, a trade or professional institution or an institution of higher learning in this state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, of such status and of any change in such status.

(d) Any person who is convicted of a violation of any provision of subsection (a), (b) or (c) of this section and who has previously been convicted of a violation of any of said subsections shall maintain the

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- [(d)] (e) Any person not a resident of this state who is required to be 372 registered as a sexual offender under the laws of any other state, 373 federal or military system or foreign jurisdiction and who [travels in 374 this state on a recurring basis for periods of less than five days] enters 375 this state shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, not 376 less than forty-eight hours prior to entering this state of the locations in 377 this state to which such person will be traveling or at which such 378 person will be lodging or the location of such person's temporary 379 residence in this state, [and of] a telephone number at which such 380 person may be contacted and any other information deemed necessary by the Commissioner of Public Safety.
- 382 [(e)] (f) Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall 383 be guilty of a class D felony.
- 384 Sec. 5. Section 54-254 of the general statutes is repealed and the 385 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- 386 (a) Any person who has been convicted or found not guilty by 387 reason of mental disease or defect in this state on or after October 1, 388 1998, of any felony that the court finds was committed for a sexual 389 purpose, may be required by the court upon release into the 390 community or, if such person is in the custody of the Commissioner of 391 Correction, at such time prior to release as the commissioner shall 392 direct to register such person's name, identifying factors, criminal 393 history record and residence address with the Commissioner of Public 394 Safety, on such forms and in such locations as the commissioner shall 395 direct, and to maintain such registration for ten years. If the court finds 396 that a person has committed a felony for a sexual purpose and intends 397 to require such person to register under this section, prior to accepting 398 a plea of guilty or nolo contendere from such person with respect to 399 such felony, the court shall (1) inform the person that the entry of a 400 finding of guilty after acceptance of the plea will subject the person to 401 the registration requirements of this section, and (2) determine that the

person fully understands the consequences of the plea. If such person changes such person's name, such person shall, within five days, register the new name, in writing, with the Commissioner of Public Safety. If such person changes such person's address such person shall, within five days, register the new address in writing with the Commissioner of Public Safety, and, if the new address is in another state, such person shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. [, provided that state has a registration requirement for such offenders.] If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed at, carries on a vocation at or is a student at a youth camp, as defined in section 19a-420, a provider of child day care services, as defined in section 19a-77, a public or private educational institution, including, but not limited to, an elementary, middle or high school, a regional vocational technical school, a charter school or a secondary school, a trade or professional institution or an institution of higher learning in this state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, of such status and of any change in such status. If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed in another state, carries on a vocation in another state or is a student in another state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety of such status and shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. [, provided that state has a registration requirement for such offenders.] During such period of registration, each registrant shall complete and return forms mailed to such registrant to verify such registrant's residence address and shall submit to the retaking of a photographic image upon request of the Commissioner of Public Safety.

- (b) Any person who is convicted of a violation of subsection (a) of this section and has previously been convicted of a violation of said subsection (a) shall maintain the registration required under this section for life.
- [(b)] (c) Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a class D felony.

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Sec. 6. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2006) (a) Any person who has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a predatory sexual offense against a victim who is a minor, and is released into the community on or after July 1, 2006, shall, not later than three days after such release or, if such person is in the custody of the Commissioner of Correction, at such time prior to release as the commissioner shall direct, register such person's name, residence address, identifying factors and criminal history record, the license plate number and description of any vehicle owned or operated by such person and information concerning any treatment received by such person for a mental abnormality or personality disorder with the Commissioner of Public Safety on such forms and in such locations as said commissioner shall direct, and shall maintain such registration for life. Prior to accepting a plea of guilty or nolo contendere from a person with respect to a predatory sexual offense against a victim who is a minor, the court shall (1) inform the person that the entry of a finding of guilty after acceptance of the plea will subject the person to the registration requirements of this section, and (2) determine that the person fully understands the consequences of the plea. If such person changes such person's name or the license plate number of a vehicle or a vehicle owned or operated by such person, such person shall, within five days, register the new name, license plate number or vehicle information, in writing, with the Commissioner of Public Safety. If such person changes such person's address, such person shall, within five days, register the new address, in writing, with the Commissioner of Public Safety and, if the new address is in another state, such person shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed in this or another state, carries on a vocation in this or another state or is a student in this or another state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, of such status and, if such person is employed, carries on a vocation or is a student in another state, shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. During such period of registration, each registrant shall complete and

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(b) Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a class D felony.

Sec. 7. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2006) (a) Any person who has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a predatory sexual offense against a protected or other person, and is released into the community on or after July 1, 2006, shall, not later than three days after such release or, if such person is in the custody of the Commissioner of Correction, at such time prior to release as the commissioner shall direct, register such person's name, residence address, identifying factors and criminal history record, the license plate number and description of any vehicle owned or operated by such person and information concerning any treatment received by such person for a mental abnormality or personality disorder with the Commissioner of Public Safety on such forms and in such locations as said commissioner shall direct, and shall maintain such registration for life. Prior to accepting a plea of guilty or nolo contendere from a person with respect to a predatory sexual offense against a protected or other person, the court shall (1) inform the person that the entry of a finding of guilty after acceptance of the plea will subject the person to

the registration requirements of this section, and (2) determine that the person fully understands the consequences of the plea. If such person changes such person's name or the license plate number of or any vehicle owned or operated by such person, such person shall, within five days, register the new name, license plate number or vehicle information, in writing, with the Commissioner of Public Safety. If such person changes such person's address, such person shall, within five days, register the new address, in writing, with the Commissioner of Public Safety and, if the new address is in another state, such person shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed in this or another state, carries on a vocation in this or another state or is a student in this or another state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, of such status and, if such person is employed, carries on a vocation or is a student in another state, shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. During such period of registration, each registrant shall complete and return forms mailed to such registrant to verify such registrant's residence address and shall submit to the retaking of a photographic image upon request of the Commissioner of Public Safety. If any person who is subject to registration under this section is employed at, carries on a vocation at or is a student at a youth camp, as defined in section 19a-420 of the general statutes, a provider of child day care services, as defined in section 19a-77 of the general statutes, a public or private educational institution including an elementary, middle or high school, a regional vocational technical school, a charter school, a secondary school, a trade or professional institution or an institution of higher learning in this state, such person shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, of such status prior to the commencement of such status and shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety, in writing, of any change in such status.

533 (b) Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a class D felony.

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Sec. 8. Section 54-255 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July* 1, 2006):

- (a) Upon the conviction or finding of not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of any person for a violation of section 53a-70b, the court may order the Department of Public Safety to restrict the dissemination of the registration information to law enforcement purposes only and to not make such information available for public access, provided the court finds that dissemination of the registration information is not required for public safety and that publication of the registration information would be likely to reveal the identity of the victim within the community where the victim resides. The court shall remove the restriction on the dissemination of such registration information if, at any time, the court finds that public safety requires that such person's registration information be made available to the public or that a change of circumstances makes publication of such registration information no longer likely to reveal the identity of the victim within the community where the victim resides. Prior to ordering or removing the restriction on the dissemination of such person's registration information, the court shall consider any information or statements provided by the victim.
- (b) Upon the conviction or finding of not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of any person of a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor, a nonviolent sexual offense, [or] a sexually violent offense, a predatory sexual offense against a victim who is a minor or a predatory sexual offense against a protected or other person, where the victim of such offense was, at the time of the offense, under eighteen years of age and related to such person within any of the degrees of kindred specified in section 46b-21, the court may order the Department of Public Safety to restrict the dissemination of the registration information to law enforcement purposes only and to not make such information available for public access, provided the court finds that dissemination of the registration information is not required

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(c) Any person who: (1) Has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a violation of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of section 53a-71 between October 1, 1988, and June 30, 1999, and was under nineteen years of age at the time of the offense; (2) has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a violation of subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 53a-73a between October 1, 1988, and June 30, 1999; (3) has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor, a nonviolent sexual offense or a sexually violent offense, between October 1, 1988, and June 30, 1999, where the victim of such offense was, at the time of the offense, under eighteen years of age and related to such person within any of the degrees of kindred specified in section 46b-21; (4) has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a violation of section 53a-70b between October 1, 1988, and June 30, 1999; or (5) has been convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of any crime between October 1, 1988, and September 30, 1998, which requires registration under sections 54-250 to 54-258a, inclusive, and (A) served no jail or prison time as a result of such conviction or finding of not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect, (B) has not been subsequently convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of any crime which would require registration under sections 54-250 to 54-258a, inclusive, and (C) has registered with the Department of Public Safety in accordance with sections 54-250 to 54-258a, inclusive; may petition the court to order the Department of

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- (d) Upon the granting of an order under this section, the court shall forward a copy of such order to the Department of Public Safety.
- Sec. 9. Section 54-256 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- (a) Any court, the Commissioner of Correction or the Psychiatric Security Review Board, prior to releasing into the community any person convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor, a nonviolent sexual offense, a sexually violent offense, [or] a felony found by the sentencing court to have been committed for a sexual purpose, a predatory sexual offense against a victim who is a minor or a predatory sexual offense against a protected or other person, except a person being released unconditionally at the conclusion of such release that such person complete the registration procedure

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established by the Commissioner of Public Safety under sections 54-634 635 251, 54-252 and 54-254, as amended by this act, and sections 6 and 7 of 636 this act. The court, the Commissioner of Correction or the Psychiatric 637 Security Review Board, as the case may be, shall provide the person 638 with a written summary of the person's obligations under sections 54-639 102g and 54-250 to 54-258a, inclusive, as amended by this act, and 640 sections 6 and 7 of this act, and transmit the completed registration 641 package to the Commissioner of Public Safety who shall enter the 642 information into the registry established under section 54-257, as 643 amended by this act. If a court transmits the completed registration 644 package to the Commissioner of Public Safety with respect to a person 645 released by the court, such package need not include identifying 646 factors for such person. In the case of a person being released 647 unconditionally who declines to complete the registration package 648 through the court or the releasing agency, the court or agency shall: (1) 649 Except with respect to information that is not available to the public 650 pursuant to court order, rule of court or any provision of the general 651 statutes, provide to the Commissioner of Public Safety the person's 652 name, date of release into the community, anticipated residence 653 address, if known, criminal history record, any known treatment 654 history and any other relevant information; (2) inform the person that 655 such person has an obligation to register within three days with the 656 Commissioner of Public Safety for a period of ten years following the 657 date of such person's release or for life, as the case may be, and that if 658 such person changes such person's address such person shall within 659 five days register the new address in writing with the Commissioner of 660 Public Safety and, if the new address is in another state or if such 661 person is employed in another state, carries on a vocation in another 662 state or is a student in another state, such person shall also register 663 with an appropriate agency in that state; [, provided that state has a 664 registration requirement for such offenders;] (3) provide the person 665 with a written summary of the person's obligations under sections 666 54-102g and 54-250 to 54-258a, inclusive, as amended by this act, and 667 sections 6 and 7 of this act, as explained to the person under

subdivision (2) of this section; and (4) make a specific notation on the record maintained by that agency with respect to such person that the registration requirements were explained to such person and that such person was provided with a written summary of such person's obligations under sections 54-102g and 54-250 to 54-258a, inclusive, as amended by this act, and sections 6 and 7 of this act.

- (b) Whenever a person is convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect of an offense that will require such person to register under section 54-251, 54-252 or 54-254, as amended by this act, or section 6 or 7 of this act, the court shall provide a written summary of the offense that includes the age and sex of any victim of the offense and a specific description of the offense. Such summary shall be added to the registry information made available to the public through the Internet.
- Sec. 10. Section 54-257 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
  - (a) The Department of Public Safety shall [, not later than January 1, 1999, establish and maintain a registry of all persons required to register under sections 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 and 54-254, as amended by this act, and sections 6 and 7 of this act. The department shall, in cooperation with the Office of the Chief Court Administrator, the Department of Correction and the Psychiatric Security Review Board, develop appropriate forms for use by agencies and individuals to report registration information, including changes of address. Upon receipt of registration information, the department shall enter the information into the registry and notify the local police department or state police troop having jurisdiction where the registrant resides or plans to reside. If a registrant notifies the Department of Public Safety that such registrant is employed at, carries on a vocation at or is a student at a trade or professional institution or institution of higher learning in this state, the department shall notify the law enforcement agency with jurisdiction over such institution. If a registrant reports a

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residence in another state, the department shall notify the state police agency of that state or such other agency in that state that maintains registry information, if known. The department shall also transmit all registration information, conviction data, photographic images and fingerprints to the Federal Bureau of Investigation in such form as said bureau shall require for inclusion in a national registry.

- (b) The Department of Public Safety may suspend the registration of any person registered under section 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254, as amended by this act, or section 6 or 7 of this act, while such person is incarcerated, under civil commitment or residing outside this state and shall suspend the registration of any person registered under any of said sections when so ordered by the court in which such person was convicted or found not guilty by reason of mental disease or defect. During the period that such registration is under suspension, the department is not required to verify the address of the registrant pursuant to subsection (c) of this section and may withdraw the registration information from public access. Upon the release of the registrant from incarceration or civil commitment or resumption of residency in this state by the registrant, the department shall reinstate the registration, redistribute the registration information in accordance with subsection (a) of this section and resume verifying the address of the registrant in accordance with subsection (c) of this section. Suspension of registration shall not affect the date of expiration of the registration obligation of the registrant under section 54-251, 54-252 or 54-253, as amended by this act.
- (c) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, the Department of Public Safety shall verify the address of each registrant by mailing by first class mail a nonforwardable verification form to the registrant at the registrant's last reported address. Such form shall require the registrant to sign a statement that the registrant continues to reside at the registrant's last reported address and return the form by mail by a date which is ten days after the date such form was mailed to the registrant. The form shall contain a statement that failure

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to return the form or providing false information is a violation of section 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254, as amended by this act, or section 6 or 7 of this act, as the case may be. Each person required to register under section 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254, as amended by this act, or section 6 or 7 of this act, shall have such person's address verified in such manner every ninety days after such person's initial registration date, except that any registrant claiming to be transient shall verify such person's transient status thirty calendar days after the date such registrant's initial written notice claiming to be transient was received by the Department of Public Safety, and every thirty days thereafter. Any registrant claiming to be transient shall mail a letter containing the registrant's name and date of birth and a statement that the registrant continues to be transient within a particular town in this state and lists the locations, including the specific town, where the registrant sleeps, eats, works, frequents and engages in leisure activities. If such transient person changes such person's address or transient locations, including changing or adding towns, such person shall, within five days, register the new address or transient location in writing with the Department of Public Safety and, if the new address or transient location is in another state, such person shall also register with an appropriate agency in that state. Any person who has reported being transient to the Department of Public Safety who moves to a residence shall notify the department within five days of such change of address. Any registrant residing at an address who becomes transient shall notify the Department of Public Safety, in writing, within five days of commencing such transient status. In the event that a registrant fails to return the address verification form or fails to verify the registrant's transient status, the Department of Public Safety shall notify the local police department or the state police troop having jurisdiction over the registrant's last reported address or transient location, and that agency shall apply for a warrant to be issued for the registrant's arrest under section 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254, as amended by this act, or section 6 or 7 of this act, as the case may be. The Department of Public Safety shall not verify the address of

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- 767 registrants whose last reported address was outside this state.
- 768 Whenever mail is not delivered to a registrant's residence address due
- 769 to a restriction of the United States Postal Service, the Commissioner of
- 770 Public Safety may develop and implement procedures to verify the
- 771 <u>address of such registrant.</u>
- (d) The Department of Public Safety shall retake the photographic image of each registrant at least once every five years, except that the department shall retake the photographic image of a registrant who registered under section 6 or 7 of this act at least once each year.
- (e) Whenever the Commissioner of Public Safety receives notice from a superior court pursuant to section 52-11 or a probate court pursuant to section 45a-99 that such court has ordered the change of name of a person, and the department determines that such person is listed in the registry, the department shall revise such person's registration information accordingly.
- Sec. 11. Section 54-258 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
  - (a) (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of the general statutes, except subdivisions (3) and (4) of this subsection, the registry maintained by the Department of Public Safety shall be a public record and shall be accessible to the public during normal business hours. The Department of Public Safety shall make registry information available to the public through the Internet. Not less than once per calendar quarter, the Department of Public Safety shall issue notices to all print and electronic media in the state regarding the availability and means of accessing the registry. Each local police department and each state police troop shall keep a record of all registration information transmitted to it by the Department of Public Safety, and shall make such information accessible to the public during normal business hours.
- 797 (2) Any state agency, the Judicial Department, any state police troop

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- or any local police department may, at its discretion, notify any government agency, private organization or individual of registration information when such agency, said department, such troop or such local police department, as the case may be, believes such notification is necessary to protect the public or any individual in any jurisdiction from any person who is subject to registration under section 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254, as amended by this act.
  - (3) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection, state agencies, the Judicial Department, state police troops and local police departments shall not disclose the identity of any victim of a crime committed by a registrant or treatment information provided to the registry pursuant to sections 54-102g and 54-250 to 54-258a, inclusive, as amended by this act, except to government agencies for bona fide law enforcement or security purposes.
  - (4) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection, registration information the dissemination of which has been restricted by court order pursuant to section 54-255, as amended by this act, and which is not otherwise subject to disclosure, shall not be a public record and shall be released only for law enforcement purposes until such restriction is removed by the court pursuant to said section.
  - (5) When any registrant completes the registrant's term of registration or is otherwise released from the obligation to register under section 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254, as amended by this act, the Department of Public Safety shall notify any state police troop or local police department having jurisdiction over the registrant's last reported residence address that the person is no longer a registrant, and the Department of Public Safety, state police troop and local police department shall remove the registrant's name and information from the registry.
- 829 (b) Neither the state nor any political subdivision of the state nor

830 any officer or employee thereof, shall be held civilly liable to any 831 registrant by reason of disclosure of any information regarding the 832 registrant that is released or disclosed in accordance with subsection 833 (a) of this section. The state and any political subdivision of the state 834 and, except in cases of wanton, reckless or malicious conduct, any 835 officer or employee thereof, shall be immune from liability for good 836 faith conduct in carrying out the provisions of subdivision (2) of 837 subsection (a) of this section.

(c) The court support services division of the Judicial Department and the Department of Correction shall provide to the Department of Public Safety, in written or electronic format, with respect to each person required to register under section 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254, as amended by this act, or section 6 or 7 of this act, such person's period of probation or parole, the name of the officer assigned to supervise such person and contact information including a telephone number for the office responsible for the supervision of such person.

Sec. 12. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2006) (a) A person is guilty of aiding a registrant in violation of registration requirements when such person, having reasonable grounds to believe that a registrant, as defined in section 54-250 of the general statutes, as amended by this act, is in violation of the registration requirements under section 54-251, 54-252, 54-253 or 54-254 of the general statutes, as amended by this act, or section 6 or 7 of this act, and with intent to assist the registrant in eluding a law enforcement officer in the investigation or enforcement of such violation: (1) Withholds information from, or does not notify, the law enforcement officer about the registrant's noncompliance with the requirements of said sections and, if known, the whereabouts of the registrant; (2) harbors, or attempts to harbor, or assists another person in harboring or attempting to harbor, the registrant; (3) conceals or attempts to conceal, or assists another person in concealing or attempting to conceal, the registrant; (4) provides false information, which such person knows not to be true, regarding the registrant; (5) obstructs or hinders the law enforcement officer in the

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- performance of such officer's official duties relative to the investigation or enforcement of such violation; or (6) falsely represents the registrant by signing address verification forms or other official documentation relative to the registration of sexual offenders.
- (b) Aiding a registrant in violation of registration requirements is a class D felony.
- Sec. 13. Section 53-21 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
  - (a) Any person who (1) wilfully or unlawfully causes or permits any child under the age of sixteen years to be placed in such a situation that the life or limb of such child is endangered, the health of such child is likely to be injured or the morals of such child are likely to be impaired, or does any act likely to impair the health or morals of any such child, or (2) has contact with the intimate parts, as defined in section 53a-65, of a child under the age of sixteen years or subjects a child under sixteen years of age to contact with the intimate parts of such person, in a sexual and indecent manner likely to impair the health or morals of such child, or (3) permanently transfers the legal or physical custody of a child under the age of sixteen years to another person for money or other valuable consideration or acquires or receives the legal or physical custody of a child under the age of sixteen years from another person upon payment of money or other valuable consideration to such other person or a third person, except in connection with an adoption proceeding that complies with the provisions of chapter 803, shall be guilty of a class C felony for a violation of subdivision (1) or (3) of this subsection and a class B felony for a violation of subdivision (2) of this subsection, except that, if the violation is of subdivision (2) of this subsection and the victim of the offense is under thirteen years of age, such person shall be guilty of a class A felony and sentenced to a term of imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be suspended or reduced by the court.
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- Sec. 14. Section 53a-70 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
  - (a) A person is guilty of sexual assault in the first degree when such person (1) compels another person to engage in sexual intercourse by the use of force against such other person or a third person, or by the threat of use of force against such other person or against a third person which reasonably causes such person to fear physical injury to such person or a third person, or (2) engages in sexual intercourse with another person and such other person is under thirteen years of age and the actor is more than two years older than such person, or (3) commits sexual assault in the second degree as provided in section 53a-71 and in the commission of such offense is aided by two or more other persons actually present, or (4) engages in sexual intercourse with another person and such other person is mentally incapacitated to the extent that such other person is unable to consent to such sexual intercourse.
    - (b) (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, sexual assault in the first degree is a class B felony for which two years of the sentence imposed may not be suspended or reduced by the court. [or, if the victim of the offense is under ten years of age, for which ten years of the sentence imposed may not be suspended or reduced by the court.]
    - (2) Sexual assault in the first degree is a class A felony if the [offense is a violation of subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of this section and the victim of the offense is under sixteen years of age or the offense is a violation of subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of this section. Any person found guilty under said subdivision (1) or (2) shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of which ten years of the sentence imposed may not be suspended or reduced by the court if the victim is under ten years of age or of which five years of the sentence imposed may not be

- 927 suspended or reduced by the court if the victim is under sixteen years 928 of age victim of the offense is under sixteen years of age and any 929 person found guilty of such class A felony shall be sentenced to a term 930 of imprisonment of which five years of the sentence imposed may not 931 be suspended or reduced by the court, except that, if the victim of the 932 offense is under thirteen years of age, such person shall be sentenced 933 to a term of imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be 934 suspended or reduced by the court.
  - (3) [Any] Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, a person found guilty under this section shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment and a period of special parole pursuant to subsection (b) of section 53a-28 which together constitute a sentence of at least ten years.
- 940 Sec. 15. Section 53a-71 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
  - (a) A person is guilty of sexual assault in the second degree when such person engages in sexual intercourse with another person and: (1) Such other person is thirteen years of age or older but under sixteen years of age and the actor is more than two years older than such person; or (2) such other person is mentally defective to the extent that such other person is unable to consent to such sexual intercourse; or (3) such other person is physically helpless; or (4) such other person is less than eighteen years old and the actor is such person's guardian or otherwise responsible for the general supervision of such person's welfare; or (5) such other person is in custody of law or detained in a hospital or other institution and the actor has supervisory or disciplinary authority over such other person; or (6) the actor is a psychotherapist and such other person is (A) a patient of the actor and the sexual intercourse occurs during the psychotherapy session, (B) a patient or former patient of the actor and such patient or former patient is emotionally dependent upon the actor, or (C) a patient or former patient of the actor and the sexual intercourse occurs by means

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- (b) [Sexual] (1) Except as provided in subdivisions (2) and (3) of this subsection, sexual assault in the second degree is a class C felony and any person found guilty of such class C felony shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of which nine months of the sentence imposed may not be suspended or reduced by the court. [or,]
- (2) Sexual assault in the second degree is a class B felony if the victim of the offense is thirteen years of age or older but under sixteen years of age, [a class B felony,] and any person found guilty [under this section] of such class B felony shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of which nine months of the sentence imposed may not be suspended or reduced by the court.
- 986 (3) Sexual assault in the second degree is a class A felony if the victim of the offense is under thirteen years of age, and any person found guilty of such class A felony shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be suspended or reduced by the court.

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- 991 Sec. 16. Section 53a-72a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- 993 (a) A person is guilty of sexual assault in the third degree when 994 such person (1) compels another person to submit to sexual contact (A) 995 by the use of force against such other person or a third person, or (B) by the threat of use of force against such other person or against a third 996 997 person, which reasonably causes such other person to fear physical 998 injury to himself or herself or a third person, or (2) engages in sexual 999 intercourse with another person whom the actor knows to be related to 1000 him or her within any of the degrees of kindred specified in section 1001 46b-21.
- 1002 (b) [Sexual] (1) Except as provided in subdivisions (2) and (3) of this subsection, sexual assault in the third degree is a class D felony. [or,]
- 1004 (2) Sexual assault in the third degree is a class C felony if the victim 1005 of the offense is thirteen years of age or older but under sixteen years 1006 of age. [, a class C felony.]
- (3) Sexual assault in the third degree is a class A felony if the victim of the offense is under thirteen years of age and any person found guilty of such class A felony shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be suspended or reduced by the court.
- Sec. 17. Section 53a-87 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- (a) A person is guilty of promoting prostitution in the second degree when [he] such person knowingly: (1) Advances or profits from prostitution by managing, supervising, controlling or owning, either alone or in association with others, a house of prostitution or a prostitution business or enterprise involving prostitution activity by two or more prostitutes; or (2) advances or profits from prostitution of a person less than eighteen years old.

- 1021 (b) [Promoting] (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, promoting prostitution in the second degree is a class C felony.
- (2) Promoting prostitution in the second degree is a class A felony if
  the victim of the offense is under thirteen years of age and any person
  found guilty of such class A felony shall be sentenced to a term of
  imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be suspended or
  reduced by the court.
- Sec. 18. Section 53a-196 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- 1031 (a) A person is guilty of obscenity as to minors when [he] <u>such</u> 1032 <u>person</u> knowingly promotes to a minor, for monetary consideration, 1033 any material or performance which is obscene as to minors.
  - (b) For purposes of this section, "knowingly" means having general knowledge of or reason to know or a belief or ground for belief which warrants further inspection or inquiry as to (1) the character and content of any material or performance which is reasonably susceptible of examination by such person, and (2) the age of the minor.
  - (c) In any prosecution for obscenity as to minors, it shall be an affirmative defense that the defendant made (1) a reasonable mistake as to age, and (2) a reasonable bona fide attempt to ascertain the true age of such minor, by examining a draft card, driver's license, birth certificate or other official or apparently official document, exhibited by such minor, purporting to establish that such minor was seventeen years of age or older.
- 1046 (d) [Obscenity] (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, obscenity as to minors is a class D felony.
- 1048 (2) Obscenity as to minors is a class A felony if the victim of the 1049 offense is under thirteen years of age and any person found guilty of 1050 such class A felony shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of

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- 1051 <u>twenty-five years which may not be suspended or reduced by the</u> 1052 court.
- Sec. 19. Section 53a-196a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- 1055 (a) A person is guilty of employing a minor in an obscene 1056 performance when [(1) he] such person (1) employs any minor, 1057 whether or not such minor receives any consideration, for the purpose 1058 of promoting any material or performance which is obscene as to 1059 minors, notwithstanding that such material or performance is intended for an adult audience, or (2) [he] permits any such minor to be 1060 1061 employed, whether or not such minor receives any consideration, in 1062 the promotion of any material or performance which is obscene as to 1063 minors, notwithstanding that such material or performance is intended 1064 for an adult audience, and [he] <u>such person</u> is the parent or guardian 1065 of such minor or otherwise responsible for the general supervision of 1066 such minor's welfare.
- 1067 (b) Employing a minor in an obscene performance is a class A felony
  1068 and any person found guilty under this section shall be sentenced to a
  1069 term of imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be
  1070 suspended or reduced by the court.
- Sec. 20. Section 53a-196b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
  - (a) A person is guilty of promoting a minor in an obscene performance when [he] <u>such person</u> knowingly promotes any material or performance in which a minor is employed, whether or not such minor receives any consideration, and such material or performance is obscene as to minors notwithstanding that such material or performance is intended for an adult audience.
- 1079 (b) For purposes of this section, "knowingly" means having general knowledge of or reason to know or a belief or ground for belief which

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- warrants further inspection or inquiry as to (1) the character and content of any material or performance which is reasonably susceptible of examination by such person, and (2) the age of the minor employed.
- 1084 (c) [Promoting] (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, promoting a minor in an obscene performance is a class B felony.
- (2) Promoting a minor in an obscene performance is a class A felony
  if the victim of the offense is under thirteen years of age and any
  person found guilty of such class A felony shall be sentenced to a term
  of imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be suspended or
  reduced by the court.
- Sec. 21. Section 53a-70a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
  - (a) A person is guilty of aggravated sexual assault in the first degree when such person commits sexual assault in the first degree as provided in section 53a-70, and in the commission of such offense (1) such person uses or is armed with and threatens the use of or displays or represents by such person's words or conduct that such person possesses a deadly weapon, (2) with intent to disfigure the victim seriously and permanently, or to destroy, amputate or disable permanently a member or organ of the victim's body, such person causes such injury to such victim, (3) under circumstances evincing an extreme indifference to human life such person recklessly engages in conduct which creates a risk of death to the victim, and thereby causes serious physical injury to such victim, or (4) such person is aided by two or more other persons actually present. No person shall be convicted of sexual assault in the first degree and aggravated sexual assault in the first degree upon the same transaction but such person may be charged and prosecuted for both such offenses upon the same information.
- 1111 (b) Aggravated sexual assault in the first degree is a class B felony

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- 1112 or, if the victim of the offense is under sixteen years of age, a class A 1113 felony. Any person found guilty under this section shall be sentenced 1114 to a term of imprisonment of which five years of the sentence imposed 1115 may not be suspended or reduced by the court, except that, if [such 1116 person committed sexual assault in the first degree by violating 1117 subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of section 53a-70, and] the victim of 1118 the offense is under [sixteen] thirteen years of age, [twenty years of the 1119 sentence imposed] such person shall be sentenced to a term of 1120 imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be suspended or 1121 reduced by the court. Any person found guilty under this section shall 1122 also be sentenced to a period of special parole pursuant to subsection 1123 (b) of section 53a-28 of at least five years.
- Sec. 22. Section 53a-86 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- (a) A person is guilty of promoting prostitution in the first degree when [he] <u>such person</u> knowingly: (1) Advances prostitution by compelling a person by force or intimidation to engage in prostitution, or profits from coercive conduct by another; or (2) advances or profits from prostitution of a person less than sixteen years old.
- (b) [Promoting] (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, promoting prostitution in the first degree is a class B felony.
- (2) Promoting prostitution in the first degree is a class A felony if the victim of the offense is under thirteen years of age and any person found guilty of such class A felony shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of twenty-five years which may not be suspended or reduced by the court.
- Sec. 23. Section 53a-90a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2006*):
- 1141 (a) A person is guilty of enticing a minor when such person uses an

- 1142 interactive computer service to knowingly persuade, induce, entice or 1143 coerce any person under sixteen years of age to engage in prostitution 1144 or sexual activity for which the actor may be charged with a criminal 1145 offense. For purposes of this section, "interactive computer service" 1146 means any information service, system or access software provider 1147 that provides or enables computer access by multiple users to a 1148 computer server, including specifically a service or system that 1149 provides access to the Internet and such systems operated or services 1150 offered by libraries or educational institutions.
- (b) [Enticing] (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, enticing a minor is a class D felony for a first offense, a class C felony for a second offense and a class B felony for any subsequent offense.
- (2) Enticing a minor is a class A felony if the victim of the offense is
   under thirteen years of age and any person found guilty of such class
   A felony shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of twenty-five
   years which may not be suspended or reduced by the court.
- Sec. 24. Section 53a-30 of the 2006 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July* 1, 2006):
- 1162 (a) When imposing sentence of probation or conditional discharge, 1163 the court may, as a condition of the sentence, order that the defendant: 1164 (1) Work faithfully at a suitable employment or faithfully pursue a 1165 course of study or of vocational training that will equip the defendant 1166 for suitable employment; (2) undergo medical or psychiatric treatment 1167 and remain in a specified institution, when required for that purpose; 1168 (3) support the defendant's dependents and meet other family 1169 obligations; (4) make restitution of the fruits of the defendant's offense 1170 or make restitution, in an amount the defendant can afford to pay or 1171 provide in a suitable manner, for the loss or damage caused thereby 1172 and the court may fix the amount thereof and the manner of 1173 performance; (5) if a minor, (A) reside with the minor's parents or in a

1174 suitable foster home, (B) attend school, and (C) contribute to the 1175 minor's own support in any home or foster home; (6) post a bond or 1176 other security for the performance of any or all conditions imposed; (7) 1177 refrain from violating any criminal law of the United States, this state 1178 or any other state; (8) if convicted of a misdemeanor or a felony, other 1179 than a capital felony, a class A felony or a violation of section 21a-278, 1180 as amended, 21a-278a, 53a-55, 53a-56, 53a-56b, 53a-57, 53a-58 or 53a-1181 70b or any offense for which there is a mandatory minimum sentence 1182 which may not be suspended or reduced by the court, and any 1183 sentence of imprisonment is suspended, participate in an alternate 1184 incarceration program; (9) reside in a residential community center or 1185 halfway house approved by the Commissioner of Correction, and 1186 contribute to the cost incident to such residence; (10) participate in a 1187 program of community service labor in accordance with section 53a-1188 39c; (11) participate in a program of community service in accordance 1189 with section 51-181c; (12) if convicted of a violation of subdivision (2) 1190 of subsection (a) of section 53-21, section 53a-70, 53a-70a, 53a-70b, 53a-1191 71, 53a-72a or 53a-72b, undergo specialized sexual offender treatment; (13) if convicted of a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor, a 1192 1193 nonviolent sexual offense, [or] a sexually violent offense, a predatory 1194 sexual offense against a victim who is a minor or a predatory sexual 1195 offense against a protected or other person, as defined in section 54-1196 250, as amended by this act, or of a felony that the court finds was 1197 committed for a sexual purpose, as provided in section 54-254, as 1198 amended by this act, register such person's identifying factors, as 1199 defined in section 54-250, as amended by this act, with the 1200 Commissioner of Public Safety when required pursuant to section 54-1201 251, 54-252 or 54-253, as amended by this act, as the case may be; (14) 1202 be subject to electronic monitoring which may include the use of a 1203 global positioning system; (15) if convicted of a violation of section 1204 46a-58, as amended, 53-37a, 53a-181j, 53a-181k or 53a-181l, participate 1205 in an anti-bias crime education program; (16) if convicted of a violation 1206 of section 53-247, undergo psychiatric or psychological counseling or 1207 participate in an animal cruelty prevention and education program

- 1208 provided such a program exists and is available to the defendant; or 1209 (17) satisfy any other conditions reasonably related to the defendant's 1210 rehabilitation. The court shall cause a copy of any such order to be 1211 delivered to the defendant and to the probation officer, if any.
- 1212 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, 1213 when imposing sentence of probation or conditional discharge for any 1214 violation of section 53a-70, 53a-70a, 53a-71, 53a-90a, 53a-196, 53a-196a 1215 or 53a-196b, as amended by this act, the court shall, as a condition of 1216 the sentence, order that the defendant be subject to electronic 1217 monitoring which shall include the use of a global positioning system.
- 1218 [(b)] (c) When a defendant has been sentenced to a period of 1219 probation, the Court Support Services Division may require that the 1220 defendant comply with any or all conditions which the court could 1221 have imposed under subsection (a) of this section or was required to 1222 impose under subsection (b) of this section which are not inconsistent with any condition actually imposed by the court. 1223
  - [(c)] (d) At any time during the period of probation or conditional discharge, after hearing and for good cause shown, the court may modify or enlarge the conditions, whether originally imposed by the court under this section or otherwise, and may extend the period, provided the original period with any extensions shall not exceed the periods authorized by section 53a-29, as amended. The court shall cause a copy of any such order to be delivered to the defendant and to the probation officer, if any.
  - [(d)] (e) The period of participation in an alternate incarceration program, unless terminated sooner, shall not exceed the period of probation authorized by section 53a-29, as amended, or two years, whichever is less.
- 1236 [(e)] (f) The court may require that the person subject to electronic 1237 monitoring pursuant to subsection (a) or (b) of this section pay directly 1238 to the electronic monitoring service provider a fee for the cost of such

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electronic monitoring services. If the court finds that the person subject to electronic monitoring is indigent and unable to pay the costs of electronic monitoring services, it shall waive such costs. Any contract entered into by the judicial branch and the electronic monitoring service provider shall include a provision stating that the total cost for electronic monitoring services shall not exceed [five] six dollars per day. Such amount shall be indexed annually to reflect the rate of inflation.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following		
sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2006	54-250
Sec. 2	July 1, 2006	54-251
Sec. 3	July 1, 2006	54-252
Sec. 4	July 1, 2006	54-253
Sec. 5	July 1, 2006	54-254
Sec. 6	July 1, 2006	New section
Sec. 7	July 1, 2006	New section
Sec. 8	July 1, 2006	54-255
Sec. 9	July 1, 2006	54-256
Sec. 10	July 1, 2006	54-257
Sec. 11	July 1, 2006	54-258
Sec. 12	July 1, 2006	New section
Sec. 13	July 1, 2006	53-21
Sec. 14	July 1, 2006	53a-70
Sec. 15	July 1, 2006	53a-71
Sec. 16	July 1, 2006	53a-72a
Sec. 17	July 1, 2006	53a-87
Sec. 18	July 1, 2006	53a-196
Sec. 19	July 1, 2006	53a-196a
Sec. 20	July 1, 2006	53a-196b
Sec. 21	July 1, 2006	53a-70a
Sec. 22	July 1, 2006	53a-86
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Sec. 24	July 1, 2006	53a-30

## Statement of Purpose:

To implement the Governor's budget recommendations.

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